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**Amendments to the Specification:**

**Please add the following new paragraph after the paragraph starting on page 5, line 13 and ending on page 5, line 15:**

Figure 10 is a section view showing a preferred embodiment of the contact input apparatus using a contact light emitting device in accordance with the present invention.

**The following are mark-ups to show changes made to the paragraph starting at page 17, line 3 and ending at page 17, line 6:**

The contact input apparatus is formed by attaching the transparent insulating layer 2 of the contact light emitting device ~~and by using transparent insulating adhesive material 7~~ to the light receiving element 9 formed on a substrate 8 using the transparent insulating adhesive material 7. As shown in Figure 10, the light receiving element 9 can be formed on the substrate 8 and may include is a PN junction diode, a charge coupled device, a complementary metal oxide semiconductor sensor, a photo transistor, a position sensitive detector, a camera or a scanner.